

Appl. No 10/970,739
Amdt. Dated July 24, 2007
Reply to Office Action of April 24, 2007

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REMARKS

The subject paper is submitted in response to an Office Action dated February 23, 2009. The Examiner rejected claims 1-5, 7-9 and objected to claim 6 further stating said claim would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Applicants have amended claim 1 to include the limitations of claims 5 and 6. Original claims 2-6 have been canceled. Claims 7-9 are original and depend from amended claim 1


CONCLUSION

In consideration of the foregoing, Applicants believe that this case is in condition for allowance.. Should the Examiner feel a phone interview would be helpful in processing the subject application, please do not hesitate to call the undersigned.

Please charge any fee for this statement to Deposit Account No. 15-0750, Order No. OT-5348.

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